



NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

We regret to report this week the news from Tahoe that Sergeant Clarence Sommerfield, who worked at the lake for the Truckee-Tahoe Lumber Company, and who has many friends in this region, is reported missing in action over Europe. He was a member of a bomber crew and had been stationed in North Africa. It is most sincerely hoped that he may yet be reported safe.

Glenn Coffey, who operates Coffey's Garage here, is Private Coffey now, we are advised. Glenn took his examination in Sacramento Monday, the grapevine declares and will return home for the allotted enlistment time before going to a permanent assignment. Glenn is 37 and has two pre-Pearl Harbor children.

Private August Esola writes from overseas that he is powerfully homesick and will appreciate letters from friends and is hoping that his copy of the Sierra Sun soon starts reaching him.

Bill Cassidy, grandson of Mrs. Jas. McIver is climbing the non-commissioned ladder fast in England. He is now an air corps staff sergeant.

In a letter mailed on January 8 and received in this city on January 20, Corporal R. N. McCormack, Jr., intimates to his wife and parents that he is seeing a bit of sunny Italy. Corporal McCormack is in the transportation branch of the U.S. Army. —Grass Valley Union.

Sgt. Alden Moore wrote Al Pfander from somewhere in the southwest Pacific that he had been in a hospital the cause of his illness not revealed in the letter. His letter indicated he would sure like to see Truckee again.

Del Powell, past president of the Grass Valley Lions Club and one of the most frequent visitors at the Truckee Den, was named "corporal" of the largest group of selectees to yet leave Nevada City this week en route to San Francisco for induction. You fellows in the service will remember Del as one of the Grass Valley Lions who always went to the court house to see you off, wish you well and proffer a carton of smokes.

NEW OFFICERS OF LODGE ARE SEATED

Laura Gaennie, M. of R. and C. will be the installing officer at the ceremony to be held by Summit Temple No. 79, Pythian Sisters, this evening at 8 o'clock when Olla Tonini will be seated as most excellent chief for the new year.

Past Chief Violet Garner of Tahoe and Reno will be presented with a gift for her unselfish devotion to her office.

Other officers to take their chairs for the ensuing term are Gladys Fontana, excellent senior; Mary Giovannoni, excellent junior; Dorothy Garibaldi, manager; Julia Ciardella, M. of F.; Alice Quilici, protectress; Essie Polyanich, guard.

Games and refreshments will follow the close of the ritual. All members are urged to attend.

INTEREST CREATED BY WINDOW DISPLAY

More than passing interest has been created by the display of attractive miniature war machines in the window of the Sierra Sun, the products of State Patrolman William Gautsche and his son, Rolland.

The miniature planes, ships and guns were arranged with the thought of showing what the War Loan money goes to purchase.

Each of these weapons cost many thousands of dollars and in order to provide all our fighting men need, it becomes necessary to spend all we can on bonds and war saving stamps.

COLD SNAP FOLLOWS NEW SNOW FALL

A severe cold snap, during which temperatures in Truckee dropped to near the zero mark, followed a new snow storm Sunday which deposited nearly a foot of fresh snow in the region. Traffic over Highway 40 continued uninterrupted, but chains are required for all vehicles.

IMPROVEMENTS AT TAVERN COMPLETE

Among other improvements made at Sierra Tavern under the new management was the installation of a new hardwood dancing floor in the rear lobby where patrons may dance if they desire. In making the announcement, Manager Ernest DeLisle invited anyone who desires to enjoy the privileges and conveniences of the Tavern Cocktail Lounge to come in and get acquainted. Both Mr. and Mrs. DeLisle have worked hard to make the Tavern more comfortable and convenient and are succeeding.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mandeville and family of Lake Tahoe are now living at Gabbs, Nevada.

Albert Canady, former Hobart resident, has just completed seven weeks training at the San Diego naval station.

Superior Judge and Mrs. C. C. McDonald of Woodland, summer residents at Lake Tahoe, have received a letter from their son, Lt. Douglas McDonald saying he is in a marine corps base hospital in the South Pacific recovering from illness. He was with the marine units at Bougainville and Empress Augustus Bay.

FAMOUS GRID STAR BREAKS ANKLE IN TAHOE SKI MISHAP

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 27.—Herman Wedemeyer, all-American half-back on the St. Mary's football team, who has been enjoying a recess at Tahoe as the guest of his friend, Carl Bechdolt, Jr., before entering the service, suffered a compound fracture of his left ankle Tuesday while skiing near the Tahoe City post office. Wedemeyer was scheduled to have X-ray pictures made of the injuries yesterday at Reno.

The young man is one of the most proficient football stars in America but the art of skiing is new to him. In attempting a small jump, he fell and his leg was twisted, causing the painful injury.

Constable Harry Johanson gave first aid and took the man to the hospital.

STAGE DOOR CANTEN TO BE SHOWN SUNDAY

Truckee theatergoers will be well pleased with the announcement by V. C. Shattuck of the Donner Theater that Stage Door Canteen will be exhibited here Sunday evening. This is one of the major productions of the year and has won the approval of all critics. It features many of the most outstanding artists of Hollywood.

MAIL CARRIER AT TAHOE USING SKIS

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 27.—Because of the snow clogged highways south of Tahoe City, D. M. Brodehl, local mail contractor, yesterday morning made the usual trip on skis, it was reported here. The trip is from Tahoe City to Meeks Bay.

WESTINGHOUSE HAS VITAL WAR JOB, PROGRAM REVEALS

The vital part Westinghouse is playing in the war effort in the production of intricate weapons and parts was shown in the films exhibited last night to the Lions Club and guests by Robert Osborne, representative of H. E. Saviers at Reno, local distributors for the company. Adding to the program was a talk by William Cates, field representative for Westinghouse from San Francisco, who discussed the war work being done by the company and future plans.

Frank Gaennie was program chairman and N. F. Dolley presided. W. A. Loynd was an additional guest.

FORMER SUMMIT RESIDENT DIES

Graveside services will be held here at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon for Mrs. Joseph Gowing, who died at her home in Sacramento this week. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Agnes Sherritt of Sacramento and two grandchildren.

The family had the hotel at Donner Summit before taking up their residence at Sacramento.

The deceased was about 80 years of age.

MAIN STREET IS CLEARED OF SNOW

State crews working under the direction of Foreman Harvey Oates yesterday took advantage of the lull in the storm to clear the parking area of the main street of snow.

The plows made fast work of the task and the street was as smooth as ever before noon. Foreman Oates expressed his appreciation for the cooperation given by the officers in directing traffic and removing parked cars during the project.

NEW VOLUMES ARE NOW AVAILABLE

New books received at the Wyethia Club's Rental Library and announced this week by the committee in charge include When the Lights Go Up Again by Patterson, Betrayal from the East by Hynd, Tomorrow is Forever by Bristow, Indigo by Weston and The Moonstone and the Woman in White by Collins.

Ill at Home—Mrs. C. B. White was reported to be ill at her home yesterday. At Gabbs—

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My Place In The Sun

By CORP. DCUG BARRETT

I begin this epistle at the Hotel Finlen in Butte, Montana. I just got tired of traveling so I stopped to refresh myself before reporting for duty.

The train ride out was pleasant. The cars were not in the least crowded and I always had at least two seats to myself. The bulk of the passengers in my car from Truckee to Ogden were railroaders "dead-heading" to duty. They were a fine bunch of fellows and from their conversation—are really working hard.

A couple of the cars on the Truckee-Ogden jaunt had pot-bellied, wood burning stoves in either end. As none of the stoves seemed to be fueled, I assumed the cars were conditioned otherwise. From the way they are getting out the old rolling stock, it wouldn't surprise me a bit to see the "F. W. Bawker" back in service when I come home on my next furlough.

I don't know why it is, but in every town I've visited in my Gullible Travels, it seems the trashiest street runs right up to the entrance of the railroad station—with the possible exception of Boise, Idaho. Really, I'd think the various chambers of commerce would seek to have a better first—and last—impression of their towns. After all, it is, in the final analysis, the first and final view of a town that people remember.

Well, I'll close now, get a shave and see what Butte has to offer a wandering soldier. Give my best to all and condolences to Rufe Gregory.

PATROL CAR LOSES WHEEL ON CHASE

What might have resulted in a serious accident was averted Saturday night when the front wheel on a state highway patrol car, driven by Patrolman William Gautsche came off while in pursuit of a speeding truck.

Gautsche and Patrolman L. E. Kelly were patrolling near Kingsvale when a truck exceeding the speed limit passed them. They clocked the vehicle at 55 miles an hour and were prepared to halt it when the wheel flew off. Rather than endanger the oncoming traffic, Gautsche jerked the wheel causing the car to run into a snow bank. Aside from the broken wheel, no damage was done. The truck driver escaped.

FOWLERS PARENTS OF BABY DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Fowler of Gateway Park, welcomed their third daughter Saturday, January 22, at Placerville. The baby weighed six pounds and 12 ounces and the family is reported doing well. Fowler is a member of the local squad of the California State Highway Patrol.

CLEAN SLATE IS GIVEN COUNTY IN ANNUAL REPORT

A clean slate is given Nevada County offices in the official report of examinations of the books and accounts of Nevada County for the fiscal year 1942-43 in a lengthy report received at the office of County Clerk R. N. McCormack this week from Lyman M. Straine, who experted the books and accounts.

In analyzing the various county departments the following comments were noted:

County Clerk and Auditor—Books and records of this joint office were used as the base for conducting the audit and found to be in excellent condition.

County Treasurer—The books of this combined office were also found to be in excellent condition, exact and well kept.

County Assessor—Books and records were in very good condition.

District Attorney—Transactions and accountings in good condition.

Public Administrator—Books were kept by two different attorneys during change of officials in this office and fairly well kept.

Sheriff's office—Fees and meals served prisoners checked by this office and all satisfactory.

Reports of the accountings of Nevada County's Justice Courts, County Hospital, Probation Office, Superintendent of Schools and County Welfare Department were all maintained in commendable manner.

Leitch Explains New Selective Service Setup

March Draft Call Will Be About Same As Recently

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—The procedure to be followed under the new regulations, effective February 1st governing induction into the armed forces was outlined here yesterday by Colonel Kenneth H. Leitch, state director of selective service.

At the same time Colonel Leitch announced the March draft call in California will be substantially the same as in the last few months. He said the March call is 50 per cent lower than that of the heaviest month in 1943.

In explaining the new system of induction, the colonel said practically every man will have at least 60 days notice of impending induction.

A pre-induction physical examination will indicate whether the registrant is physically qualified for the service for which he is best qualified, army or navy.

The registrant then may return home and his board will prepare a certificate indicating he has either been found acceptable or that he has been rejected. The actual induction will be at least 21 days after the certificate of fitness is mailed.

Registrants not inducted within 90 days after their pre-induction examinations will undergo new examinations before being taken.

The new system practically eliminates the present method of local screening examinations. Leitch explained however, a registrant who believes he has an obvious physical defect may ask to appear before his board's physician. If the defect does not warrant such rejection, the registrant will be sent for pre-induction physical examination in the usual manner.

CHAMBERS SELLS HOTEL WOODLAND

WOODLAND, Jan. 27.—A series of documents was filed in the county recorder's office covering the transfer of the Woodland Hotel property, recently announced by David H. Chambers. Chambers sold the property to Harry Handley of Vallejo.

The price shown by attached internal revenue stamps is \$139,000.

Chambers owns Chambers Lodge at Lake Tahoe and is well known in this region. At present he and Mrs. Chambers are operating the Samarkand Hotel at Santa Barbara.

HISTORY OF MAIL IS TOLD TO ROTARIANS

Tracing the history of the post office back to the time of the Romans, George Cooper, railway mail clerk, Monday night gave an instructive talk before the Truckee-Tahoe Rotary Club with Eric Gram as program chairman and Dee Bowen presiding. Charles Brunk was a guest at the meeting.

Cooper discussed letters, parcel post and insured and registered mail and explained how lost mail is traced.

TRUCKEE GIVEN BOOST ON RADIO

On Wednesday morning a number of local residents were pleasantly surprised to have a woman announce that she is from Truckee, California. The announcement was made on the Don McNeill Breakfast Club program in Chicago, but the woman's name was not immediately learned.

The master of ceremonies repeated that he would remember the name and would visit Truckee in the future. The woman said her husband is a lieutenant colonel in the air forces in North Africa.

CAFE SALE DETAILS ARE COMPLETED

Next Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Polyanich will surrender their places at Tony's Club and Coffee Shop and in will step Sergeant and Mrs. B. W. Reynolds to replace them.

While no definite announcement has been made, it was indicated that the Polyanichs may engage in business at Lake Tahoe.

Reynolds said that for the time being no changes would be made in the service or policies of the popular eating place. He is retaining the same personnel. Notice of the sale may be found on another page of the Sierra Sun today.

: Sun : Beams

by WALTER M. BARRETT

As the Fourth War Bond Drive enters its second week, it becomes increasingly apparent that Truckee is going to fall down sharply on its quota. Having consulted with those in charge of the drive, we are just a wee bit ashamed to announce the grand total to date. Be assured, however, that it is still far from the quarter-way mark and indications are strong that unless we get in and work harder, buy more than we have and step up the cadence, we will be marked for an unworthy defeat. The quota of more than \$111,000 was a bit steep even for an up and coming community like Truckee, but the figures up to now are so close to the normal every-week buying that it doesn't show that a drive is really on.

This week Truckee is called upon to support still another worthy cause. In the March of Dimes, you are not making a personal sound investment for cash, but are asked to give your dimes and dollars in a cause more than worthy of public support. Here the Boy Scouts have agreed to sponsor the March of Dimes and have arranged a benefit dance and social for Saturday night where you will get more than your money's worth in good fun. If you can't attend the affair, however, you are asked to make your donation to the cause at Bank of America, Donner Theater or Sierra Sun.

Hats off this week to the men of the state highway department who did such a swell job in clearing the snow off the main street.

NEW GAS RATION PLAN PROPOSED

A plan whereby gasoline ration coupons are mailed to individual motorists from carefully guarded central issuing stations is now being established by the OPA. The plan is expected to eliminate thefts of ration coupons, give OPA a check of issuance and eliminate a great load from local boards. To further fight black markets, about February 1 OPA will issue a notice urging endorsement of coupons to be inserted in newly issued gasoline ration books.

EXTENSION GIVEN ON SHOE SALE PLAN

At the request of the trade, retail shoe stores are being given an extra week—through February 5—to make ration free sales of limited quantities of women's shoes at \$3 or less a pair, the OPA has announced.

RELIEF PAYMENTS IN COUNTY LESSEN

Continued improvement in the relief problems in Nevada county is shown by decreasing numbers of people receiving all types of relief except aid to the needy aged, California Taxpayers association said this week, making public its study of relief trends in California counties for the last six months of 1943.

In December, 16 people in the county were receiving aid to the needy blind, compared with 19 for the July preceding, the association found.

In December, 93 children were receiving aid as dependent children, compared with 102 in July.

In December, 30 were receiving aid as county indigents, compared with 31 in July.

On the other hand, in December, the old age rolls numbered 538 while in July 512 were receiving aid to the needy aged. Increase in amount of aid and decrease in legal requirements for care of old people by their relatives were both in effect throughout the period, the association stated.

MORE COFFEE WILL BECOME AVAILABLE

Civilians will get more coffee, chocolate and cocoa in 1944 than in 1943, according to the War Food Administration. Four pounds more of coffee and one-half pound more of cocoa beans have been allocated for each civilian.

LODGE MEETS

Naomi Rebekah Lodge No. 2 held a regular meeting Wednesday. Following routine business, a social time was enjoyed. Mrs. George Kamp served refreshments.

Camp Fire Girls Organized Here With 20 Girls

Mrs. Buell Leader Of New Organization Of Local Girls

Mrs. T. T. Buell announced this week that two groups of Camp Fire Girls have been organized here with approximately 20 local girls attending the initial meeting.

During the organization meeting Mrs. N. F. Dolley was named guardian of the girls in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades at school and 10 and 11 years of age and Mrs. L. F. Bradbury will take charge of the girls in the seventh and eighth grades.

On Friday afternoon, following school, the girls will meet at the home of Mrs. Dolley and at the Wyethia Club building for more complete organization.

The local groups are affiliated with the National Camp Fire Girls with headquarters at New York. It is expected that the Wyethia Women's Club will make the worthwhile project a part of their local civic work.

RELIEF PROGRAM IS ESTABLISHED HERE BY TRUCKEE POST

Commander Bert T. Weeden of Truckee Post No. 439, American Legion this week announced that the local post now has available all the necessary forms required for the Army Emergency Relief program.

Army Emergency Relief, Weeden explained was set up for the purpose of solving emergency problems for service men and their families. The service is prepared to act, Weeden said to help any soldier's family by cash grants, loans or other assistance needed in time of crisis.

Applications in any problem of the service man or his family may be made through Commander Weeden or Adjutant Everett Parker, of the Truckee Post.

PIE SOCIAL WILL BE ATTRACTION HERE

Scout Executive Charles Brunk announced today that all is in readiness for the pie social and dance being sponsored by the Truckee Boy Scout Troop at Legion Hall Saturday night at 9 o'clock.

All profits from the novel party will be used to swell the March of Dimes program which the boys of the local troop is sponsoring.

Music has been engaged to provide for the dancing and during the evening pies donated by mothers and friends of the troop will be auctioned and the proceeds used for the worthy cause.

Everyone is invited and the Scouts promise a good time for all attending.

This is the first time a pie social has ever been held here and it should provide a lot of amusement.

TWO ESCAPE WHEN TRUCKS COLLIDE

Two men escaped injuries Sunday morning when a state snow plow operated by William H. Harding, 50, of Marysville, skidded into the front of a Burlington bus near Kingsvale during a heavy snow storm.

The bus, driven by Dallas E. Hale, 32, of Sacramento, was going east and the plow was traveling west. All the passengers in the bus had previously been transferred into another coach and the driver was the sole occupant. The front of the bus was damaged and was towed to Truckee by Thornton's Garage. State Patrolman H. B. Fowler made the investigation.

BOY SCOUTS TO AID IN P. T. A. CAMPAIGN

Beginning Monday, January 31, the annual drive for members in the Truckee Parents and Teachers association will be started here and Scout Executive Charles Brunk has announced that the boys of the local Boy Scout Troop will assist in the drive. Brunk said that a house-to-house drive will be made by the boys.

Sacramento Visitor—

Mrs. Joe Mattos was a Sacramento visitor this week.

Returns Here—

Mrs. C. M. Wray has returned from Washington where she visited her daughter.

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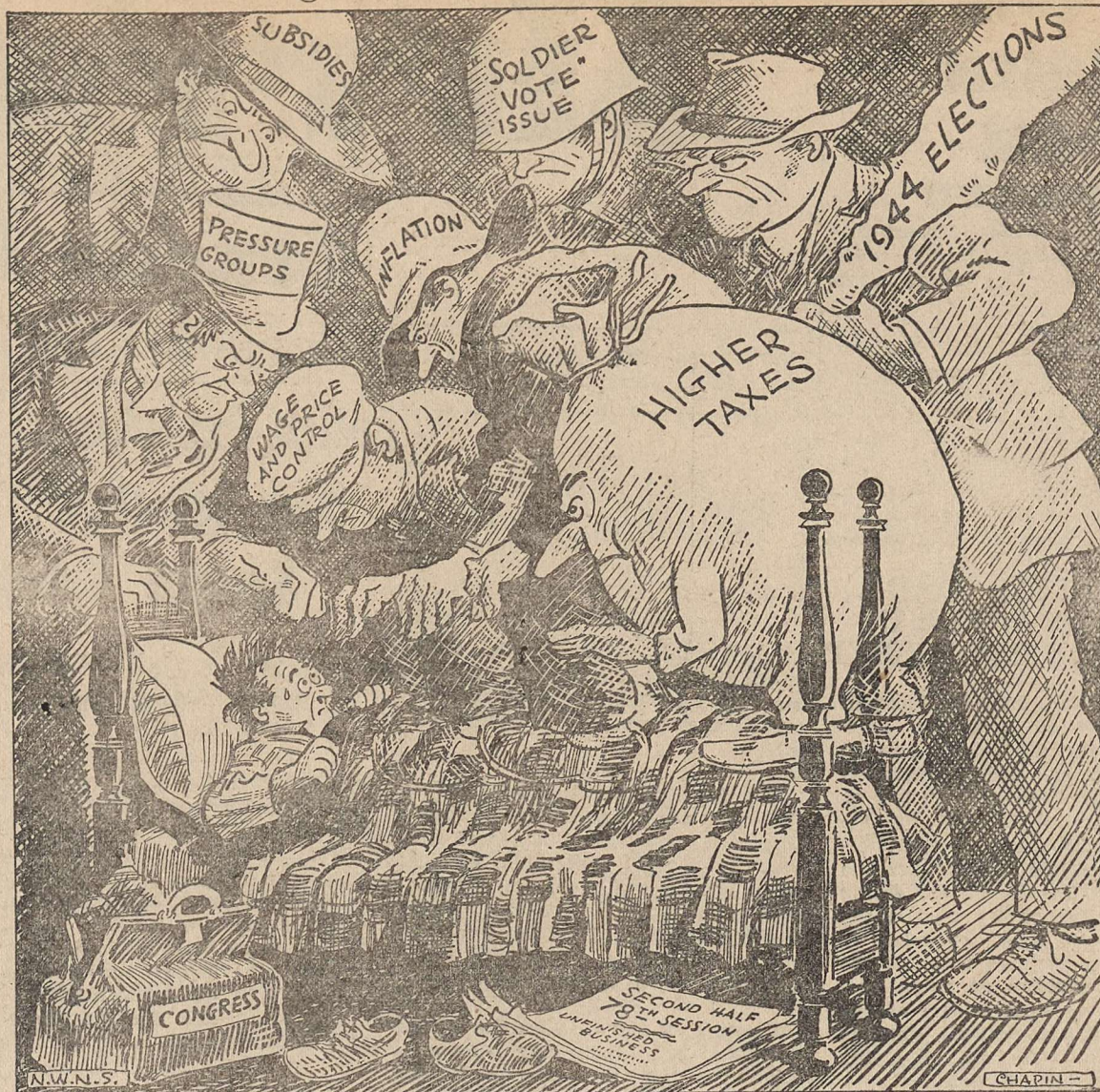
You will be wise now to Duration-ize your appliances with timely repair. That means catching repairs in time before a complete breakdown occurs.

If your old equipment must be replaced—do it now. Some new appliances are still available in store stocks. Otherwise be sure to take care of what you have. Keep it in repair. Make sure it will carry-on with efficient service. It is a wartime necessity.

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ORE PRODUCTION UP

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—(UP)—Annual iron ore production in western states increased by more than 1,000,000 tons from 1942 to 1943, with the Vulcan mine of the Kaiser steel company which supplies the Fontana plant accounting for most of the rise in California production.

The first commercially made American microscope was produced by Charles A. Spencer of Canastota, New York, in 1846.

PRESENTS JAP GUN

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—(UP)—Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, commander of the Pacific fleet, has presented a captured Japanese machine gun to the University of California, it was announced.

Double dividends in lemon juice are the reward when the lemon is warmed up a few minutes before using. A good way is to cover it with warm water and let it steep for a few minutes before it is squeezed.

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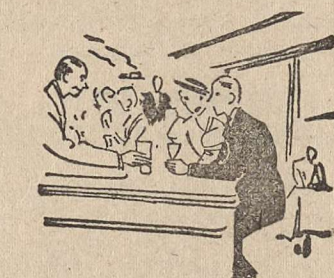
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SALES INCREASE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 27.—(UP)—The bureau of the census reported that retail sales in independent stores in California rose 20 per cent from November, 1942, to November, 1943. Figures were based on reports from 2,410 stores, exclusive of department stores, the bureau said.

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LAKE TAHOE NEWS

By SWAN, E

Telephone Tahoe City 663

Tahoe Briefs

The level of Lake Tahoe Monday morning stood at 6226.78 with only 25 CSF of water leaving the gates in town. The temperature on Monday morning early was 23 degrees and .76 of an inch of precipitation was registered from the most recent snow storm. A total of 15 inches of snow is on the ground at Tahoe City but approximately 30 inches lies on the ground in sections south of town.

Dick Anderson and wife are the guests at the Lake Chalets Motel in Tahoe City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Anderson of the Village Store are enjoying a few days in Sacramento, having departed from Tahoe Sunday. Son Jack is tending the store in their absence.

Meeting day for the Tahoe Ski Club will be the first Friday of each month, the next being due February 4 at Tahoe Community Center.

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FAMOUS FOOTBALL STAR ENTERTAINED AT LAKE

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 27.—Tahoe is entertaining a visitor of note this week in the person of Herman Wedemeyer of Honolulu and St. Mary's College, Moraga Valley. He is the famous all-American halfback who was the shining star of the New Year's Day East-West football game played at San Francisco. This week he is the guest of his friends, the Carl Bechdolt Jr.s, at the Lake Chalet Motel and is experiencing new thrills daily as he takes up the art of skiing with genuine enthusiasm.

Mrs. Ruth Ables and son Pete enjoyed the weekend from Reno at the Mayfield home in town.

Mrs. John Pingree has gone to the bay region to witness the marriage of her only daughter, Virginia Asal on January 23 to John Hahn of the bay region.

Mr. and Mrs. Weller Atherton entertained a few of their neighbors and friends last Sunday at a delightful evening of cards, with refreshments topping of the event. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Martin and son, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Carnell and son Howard, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Simmonds and Charles and Jimmie Swanson.

Mrs. Bliss Hinkle has gone to San Francisco during the school recess at Tahoe City.

OPENING ROADS

TAHOE CITY, Jan. 27.—Placer county plows under the direction of Supervisors Guisendorfer and McFadden are opening up side roads in Tahoe City and the Brockway district this week, but they are not permitted to clear the highway under the state supervision, much to the regret of the residents of the district south of town. Roads are still passable despite new snow but travel is most difficult.

Save green and wax snap beans by cutting ends rather than breaking with fingers. Overcooking reduces vitamins and flavor and results in waste.

TAHOE LETTER

To the Service Men

From SWANEE

Tahoe City, Calif.
January 23, 1944.

Dear Tahoeites:

Once again I write you from my old familiar stamping grounds Tahoe.

Arrived back on Saturday morning early, and it was certainly good to be home. And just as I suspected, Old Man Winter let go with a good snow storm on Sunday which covered the rambling terrain hereabouts with a beautiful coat of ermine averaging around six inches deep in our yard.

It was heavenly to sleep again in my own bed, and drink some of this grand mountain water and to escape from the eternal noises of the big city, which for weeks have been my oil. The silence is almost uncanny and certainly welcome, and for a while at least I will appreciate a bit more than usual, the quiet and peace and the lack of hustle and bustle and the resulting battling of crowds and traffic. Tahoe is indeed a haven of rest for the world-weary and every bit the paradise you Tahoeites forever remember.

Before returning home I made a quick trip to Tres Pinos where I visited with my youngest daughter, Jackie and her family. The trip down through the Santa Clara Valley was a beautiful one with fruit trees freshly sprayed and pruned, standing leafless in fields of green velvet, yellow mustard flowers dotting the rows like a pattern in spring dress materials. These in the know declare there is a definite back-to-the-farm movement afoot, with hundreds of city dwellers interested in small ranches and orchards. The air was fragrant with the first spring blossoms of acacia trees, violets, roses and narcissus, and here and there an ambitious fruit tree in bloom ahead of its neighbors.

Just before leaving San Francisco for the valley, I was the overnight guest of Commander and Mrs. George Mawdsley at their lovely Bay street apartment, where turkey dinner was enjoyed by an additional guest, Capt. Jack Mumfrey, whose lakeside summer home, Snug Harbor, is well-known to older Tahoeites. At present he is dividing his time piloting seagoing craft and training young pilots in the bay area. Another guest during the afternoon was Mrs. Glenn Baxter of Alameda, a frequent visitor with her husband and father during the summers at Brockway and Kings Beach. That evening, Mrs. Lee Druhn dropped over for a few hours visit, followed by refreshments, climaxing a most enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Druhn informed us that her husband, Pvt. Eric Druhn now stationed at Camp Lee, Virginia, has been awarded a medal for marksmanship, a feat his old buddies in the Tahoe Gun Club, of which he is a member, will heartily approve and offer congratulations.

Interesting Trip Home

Had an interesting time coming home on the train when a conversation developed with my near neighbors, who proved to be none other than Nevada State Journal's Merrill Inch and Paul C. Read, who intimated he was the son of the former movie favorite, the late Wallace Reed. An interesting sidelight of my homeward journey was the presence of some 70 skiers who trained for Soda Springs at Sacramento and the bay region, proving that despite the restrictions placed on present day travel, this popular sport still holds high favor in the hearts of our athletic younger generation.

Finds Many Letters

Upon arriving home I found a huge pile of letters and holiday greetings from present and ex-Tahoeites. Among the letters was a nice note from Mrs. Richard Kirman and her daughter Claire of Reno and Tahoe who declare they follow with interest the Tahoe Newsletter in the Sierra Sun each week, keeping up with the news of the lake region. From Stella Watson, now living at Clarksville, came a friendly letter informing us that Rob is slowing improving from the injuries he suffered when he fell from a roof of a house at Tahoe while placing a cover over a chimney in preparation for winter. As yet he can hardly bear his weight on the injured leg. Stella sees a number of Tahoe folks regularly down there, among them Bud Jones and Joe Saunders, who formerly worked as game warden in the Truckee-Tahoe district. She recently visited Stanley Tonge, well known here, who has been seriously ill for some time....

From the Everett Prussos came a Christmas card and note saying they are finally getting settled in their lovely new Long Beach home, their furniture having arrived from the east. Son Ray, now a corporal and stationed at Camp Elliott near San Diego, spent several days with his folks just before Christmas and Sherwood, now living at home, has secured a very good job in a local defense plant. Donnie was scheduled to enlist within a short time and we can't help wondering if he is going to try for the air forces. They are very happy in Long Beach and are enjoying everything about their

Treasury Asks 14 Billion Dollars in Latest Drive

"Let 'Em Have It—Buy Extra Bonds!"

With that rallying cry, America entered into the fourth war loan drive to raise \$14,000,000,000 to help finance the greatest conflict in the country's history.

Thousands of miles off, in stewing tropical jungles and the rugged Apennine mountains of Italy, U. S. doughboys were making slow but sure advances against a deeply entrenched and stubborn enemy, and they were asking no price for their sacrifices.

At home, those close and trusted to Johnny Doughboy welcomed the Fourth War Loan drive as an opportunity to help hand him the weapons with which to overwhelm the Japs in New Britain and the Solomons, and to beat the Nazis back along the road to Rome.

All of them were thinking of the U. S. forces poised in England for the dangerous jump across the channel at Hitler's vaunted Fortress Europe, where nothing could be spared for enabling our soldiers to establish a strong beachhead for the thrust into the heart of Germany.

Of the \$14,000,000,000 goal, approximately \$5,500,000,000 has been allotted to individual investors, the people Uncle Sam desires most to reach. The new allotment is only \$123,000,000 more than was raised from individuals in the Third War Loan drive.

An important hedge against inflation because they mop up excess purchasing power with which prices of goods can be bid up, and the best investment in the world because they bear Uncle Sam's personal guarantee for redemption, war bonds play a major role in preserving the economic structure of the nation and in affording people a valuable nest-egg for the postwar uncertainties.

Most popular of the war bonds for the individual investor are the Series E, with an original price of 75 per cent of what they will bring 10 years from the date of issue. Issued in denominations from \$25 to

\$1,000, these bonds can be cashed in 60 days, but the wise investor will hold on to them.

Says Emil Schram, president of the New York Stock exchange: "Bonds bought now and kept will provide dependable income as well as complete safety: the Series E bonds will store up capital for us—store it up the more rapidly the longer we keep them. As the Federal Reserve board has recently emphasized, these E bonds provide a rate of return of 4 per cent per year during the last five years of their life as compared with an average of 2.9 over the whole term of the bond."

When it is considered that four-fifths of our total national income this year will be received by people earning less than \$5,000, the treasury's concentration on small individual investors in the Fourth War Loan drive is better understood, for it is they who will hold the bulk of the nation's money. More than ever before in the country's history is this total war a people's war—a war in which the fighting men must be recruited from the entire population, and a war where great cost must be borne by the nation as a whole, instead of by only certain classes.

Agriculture and labor alike are expected to go well over the top in the Fourth War Loan drive.

Says Lloyd E. Partain, agriculture consultant of the war finance division: "Two of his (the farm-

er's) most important functions are the maximum production of essential foods and fibers and full financial support of the war effort through the investment of every possible dollar in war bonds.

"Farmers have done an excellent job of exerting the full managerial and physical abilities of themselves and their families in attaining stupendous food production ... As the result of this magnificent performance, farm incomes have soared to an all-time high. It is not only patriotic but extremely good business that the more than 6,000,000 farm families of this country make wise use of their increased earnings ... through maximum investments in war bonds."

Director of the women's bureau of the U. S. department of labor, Mary Anderson, says: "War is sacrifice and work and blood every minute of every hour. This bond drive is a part of that unrelenting battle. American labor will see it through. I believe they will make an extra effort to buy an extra bond during this drive—just as they have worked hours and accepted extra duties beyond those they thought they could reasonably bear."

To help in the sale of \$5,500,000,000 worth of Series E bonds to the small investor, 53,000 issuing agents have been enlisted, along with countless thousands of additional sub-agents.

Issuing agents are authorized to inscribe bonds and make immediate delivery, depositing the proceeds with the Federal Reserve banks for the account of the treasury. Sub-agents consist largely of retail stores, branch plants of corporations, etc., and they perform the same duties as the agents proper.

By far the greater number of issuing agents are commercial and savings banks, with building and loan associations, credit unions, the investment industry, post offices and other corporations, following in order.

To help drum up sales, a volunteer staff of 5,000,000 salesmen will seek to call on every gainfully employed person to buy additional bonds. In three previous drives, the U. S. collected approximately \$30,000,000,000, with \$3,000,000,000 bonds sold in the Third War Loan, representing one bond for every working person.

New Environment

From Georgetown we received a letter, and sympathy card from Mrs. Emma Wallace, formerly of Truckee who with her family visited the lake around the first of January. They are fast making new friends in their present location but she declares she would far rather have snow to contend with than the horrible red mud which clings to everything when it rains down there. Also in the pile of nice long letters was one from an old friend and former Kings Beach resident, Sgt. Carl A. Brooks, now a member of a navigation F. squadron at Ellington Field, Texas. Carl has been spending most of his time lately flying about the country in a twin-motored bomber, his job being aerial engineer. He assists in the training of navigators and appears much interested in his work. Like all of our home town boys, Carl's heart and thoughts are constantly at the lake and he hopes when the big job is over to return here and spend the rest of his life. He states that his wife recently had the Sierra Sun transferred to his present address and he really finds much enjoyment in keeping up with the news. He shares the paper with Omar Alexander, a Truckee boy in his outfit who formerly worked for the state highway department under Bob Wallace. Carl was anticipating a trip in the near future to the big cities of the east coast and was glad he would get to see so much of the old U.S.A. something he had longed to do for a long time. He wrote us on New Years eve, a far cry from the old exciting holidays of civilian life ... eh, Carl? He sends best wishes to all his friends around the lake.

Had a friendly note from my old neighbor Hulda Nielsen, now living at Auburn. She was having considerable trouble with one eye, on which a cataract has formed, curtailing her reading and causing her much discomfort. She sent regards to her old neighbors and friends in the region.

We will have to hold over for next week letters from the C. O. Valentines in Mexico, Mrs. Sibyl Yeakel, back from the east and living at Piedmont, and Mrs. Walter Mandeville who wrote from Wichita, giving us the latest on friend husband, now attending school at the University of Wichita.

Among the Christmas greeting cards from the Henry Wordens and M. A. Lopes of San Leandro, Fred Hughes, whose address I still don't have; the Rad Kiefers, formerly of Meeks aBy; Otto Fox of Auburn; the Lief Nielsens, formerly of Lake Forest, Bill Raver, now in Salt Lake, Harold Ambrosch of Tahoma, now at Glendale; the Charles Hellers from San Rafael, the A. M. Henrys of Oakland, the Tejas Edwards now at Yosemite, Candidate Joe Anderson of Fort Benning, Ga., the Harvey Hulls of West Sacramento, the Art Sathers of Auburn and Homewood, the John Stevens now of San Francisco, formerly of the Bittencourt tract; the Fred Kohlers, formerly of the Hills Estate on the Truckee river; Signalman and Mrs. Bob Leamon in New Orleans, the Dave Chambers of Santa Barbara, the Louis Gerkins of Fair Oaks, formerly of Tahoe; Commander and Mrs. Geo. Mawdsley formerly of Tahoe City, the Richard Kirmans of Reno and Tahoe, the Hank Slades of Vallejo and Tahoe Cedars and Lt. Com. and Mrs. John Kvistberg of Avalon, Mrs. Elizabeth Walker of the Truckee river and numerous others.

Home on Furlough

Tahoe this week is enjoying a visit from one of her favorite lads, Private Dick Carnell, son of the Floyd Carnells of Tahoe City, home on furlough from Camp Gruber, Oklahoma. Dick received a 14-day vacation but about half that time was consumed in train travel, so he must leave on Friday, January 28, in order to be back at his post by February 1st. Dick seems to be thriving on army life for his dad declares he has taken on some 20 pounds and is looking fine. He has already gained some distinction in a small way by having been awarded two medals ... one for machine gun and one for rifle drill. Continued good luck to you, Dick and let's hear from you occasionally.

Forgot to mention that the Eric Druhn's celebrated their 15th wedding anniversary on January 12th far apart this year, but the day was brightened when Eric called by telephone from Camp Lee, Virginia, to assure his better half he had not forgotten the occasion.

Missing in Action

Just talked with Miss Florence Vernon of Tahoe City who informs me that last Friday word was received by relatives in Stockton that Sgt. Clarence Sommerfeld of that city was reported by the war depart-

ment as missing in action. The young man was a former resident of Tahoe and worked for two years here for the Truckee-Tahoe Lumber company and has many friends in the district who will be distressed to hear of the tragedy. He was a member of the bomber crew and Miss Vernon said she heard from him last someplace in North Africa. He trained in Florida before leaving the states and has seen extensive service over the skies of Germany. It was on one of these raids that he disappeared. The details are not yet available.

Leave you again for another week, and hope that by next week to have caught up with most of the news of the region. We at home are lending our efforts to two very excellent causes at this time ... The March of Dimes for Infantile Paralysis and the Fourth War Bond Drive ... both of which MUST succeed.

Hope this finds you all in the pink and resolute as ever to end this awful carnage as soon as Providence will permit. Good luck, good cheer and God Bless everyone of you.

As ever,

SWANEE

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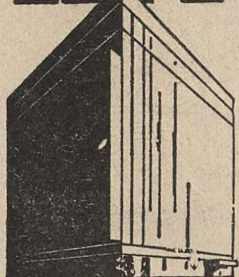
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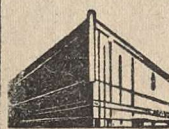
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Carrots should be scraped gently—not peeled. Average carrot waste is estimated at 37 per cent, half of which could be saved.

Seabees in the Aleutians improvised a tire-repair shop and mended on an average of 175 tires a day, this saving thousands of pounds of precious rubber that otherwise would have been scrapped.

LEGAL NOTICES

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WITNESSETH that notice is hereby given pursuant to the provisions of Section 3440 of the Civil Code of the State of California, that the undersigned, A. B. and Esalena Polyanich of City of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California, intend to sell to B. W. and Rosita Reynolds, all that certain stock of merchandise consisting generally of groceries, liquors, wines, fixtures, equipment and furniture, belonging to said A. B. and Esalena Polyanich, and located at Tony's Coffee Shop, City of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California and that a transfer and assignment of same will be made, and the purchase price thereof will be paid on Tuesday, the first day of February, 1944 at Tony's Coffee Shop, City of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California at 11 o'clock A. M.

That the address of the vendors is Truckee, Nevada County, California and the address of the Vendees is Truckee, Nevada County, California.

Dated: January 24, 1944

A. B. Polyanich, Vendor
Esalena Polyanich, Vendor
B. W. Reynolds, Vendee
Rosita Reynolds, Vendee

State of California,
County of Nevada, ss.

On this 24th day of January, A. D., 1944, before me, a Notary Public in and for the said County and State, personally appeared A. B. and Esalena Polyanich and B. W. and Rosita Reynolds, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within Instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

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Notary Public in and for said county and State.

GREYHOUND COOPERATES IN PROVIDING MESSAGES FOR WOMEN MARINES

A little over 11 months ago the first American woman donned the attractive uniform of the Marine Corps Women's Reserve. Today, thousands of girls in Marine forest-green with scarlet markings are working in control towers and link trainers, driving transport vehicles, rigging parachutes, and performing other highly specialized duties formerly handled by the male Marines. Every Woman Marine has released a man for the fighting front, and thus has participated in glorious American victories such as those on Bougainville, Tarawa and New Britain.

In pointing out these inspiring accomplishments during the first historic year that women have worn the uniform of this distinguished branch of America's fighting forces, Colonel D. M. Randall, the officer in charge of the Western Procurement Division, U. S. Marine Corps, stated that an important contribution to the success of the Women Marines' recruiting program has been the splendid cooperation of newspapers and advertisers. An example of this cooperation is seen in this issue of The Sierra Sun and Truckee Republican. The advertisement of Pacific Greyhound Lines is devoted almost wholly to Marine Corps Women's Reserve recruiting. This message is running in more than 500 newspapers throughout California, Oregon, Nevada, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and parts of Texas.

"We greatly appreciate this cooperation," Colonel Randall said. "This cooperation to our cause is particularly appropriate coming from Greyhound, as members of the Marine Corps Women's Reserve depend greatly on this nationwide travel system for transportation to and from training camps and the points throughout the country where they are stationed. Places, in the West where Greyhound serves our organization include, among many others, Camp Pendleton, Oregon, Camp Elliott near San Diego, and air bases at El Centro and other locations. At Camp Elliott Greyhound service is particularly valuable as a large number of Women Marines are on duty there and Greyhound provides special bus service to this camp."

SEABEES BUSY

On an island in the Solomons area the Seabees carved an air strip out of a dense jungle in 13 days, during which 16½ inches of rain fell, equal to six months precipitation in most mid-western states.

COLLEGE FOR FORCES

Any enlisted man in the armed forces may study for a college degree from any one of 83 colleges or universities cooperating with the Armed Forces Institute. There is a list of more than 300 subjects to choose from.

CHARLES SMITH NAMED HIGHER FOREST POSITION

Forest Supervisor Guerdon Ellis of the Tahoe National Forest announces the appointment of Charles J. Smith as assistant to Forest Engineer Donald G. McBean.

Smith first became associated with the forest service as project superintendent during the Civilian Conservation Corps program. When Pearl Harbor was attacked, necessitating the establishment of aircraft observation posts for the protection of the Pacific Coast, Smith was assigned to that work in charge of observation post construction and surveys. Following the completion of construction and organization, Smith was assigned to training observers.

Ellis stated in announcing Smith's appointment, that his wide experience in forest service construction and maintenance work would greatly aid the work program planned for the Tahoe National Forest.

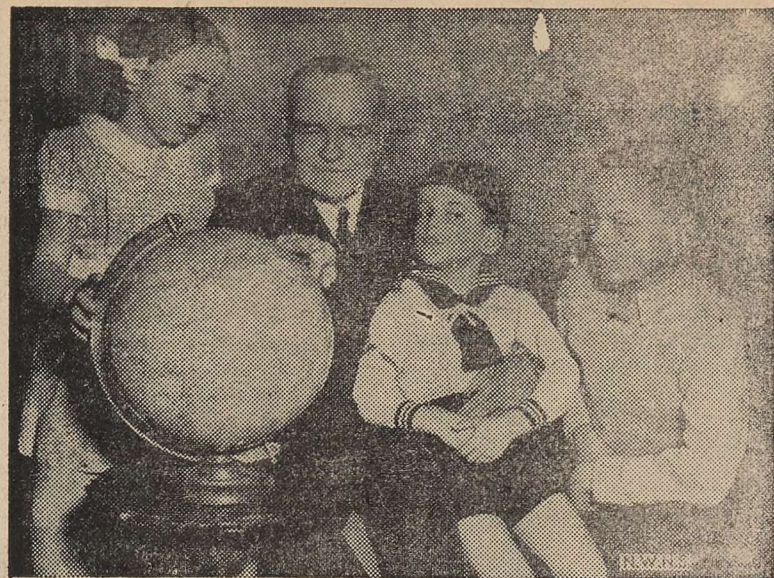
BOWLING IN ARCTIC

To keep up morale, the Air Transport Command once flew a whole bowling alley to an arctic Army outpost. The bowling alley was cut into sections for shipment and pieced together again upon arrival.

Huge Movie Circuit

The Army and Navy are operating the largest motion picture circuits in the world. The Navy alone leases about 300 new titles a year.

Halsey Makes His Report to Grandchildren



Admiral Halsey, leader of the United States naval forces in the Southwest Pacific, makes a report to his grandchildren on his activities of the past few months. This picture was made at the home of his son-in-law, Preston Lea Spruance of Centerville, Del., where Halsey visited during a recent leave.

Most cabbage waste—27 per cent—occurs in trimming away outside leaves and discarding tender core. These parts actually have more mineral content than the blanched inner leaves. Cabbage can be used to advantage as a foundation or blanket for a baked meat dish or as an addition to soups.



Annealing is a heat treatment applied to metal to reduce brittleness.

There are about 175 Army publications edited and published overseas. They range from the daily Stars and Stripes and the weekly Yank to one-page mimeographed sheets published by isolated units scattered all over the world.

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THE MARINES, TOO, DEPEND ON GREYHOUND

Like men and women in all branches of the armed forces, the Marine Corps Women's Reserve depends on Greyhound for transportation. Greyhound buses serve Camp Elliott, San Diego, and other Marine training centers, as well as Marine bases from coast to coast. Other special services are also performed by Greyhound, often on a moment's notice. For example, buses are often requisitioned from regular schedules to transfer wounded between hospitals. In spite of shortages of buses and experienced personnel, the whole Greyhound organization is concentrating its efforts and resources to provide adequate transportation for all who must travel.



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Politically Speaking

By LLOYD LAPHAM
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—(UP)—Governor Earl Warren and Lt. Gov. Frederic F. Houser broke into sharp disagreement last week over the governor's policy on clemency for law violators.

Warren's policy on pardons, commutations of sentence and reprieves, at least can be called "stern" and Houser apparently thinks it's too stern.

The point of dispute between the two men was the case of Glennard Brown, a youthful goatherd, who was scheduled to die January 14 for murdering an aged Calfax, Calif. woman.

The execution date happened to

fall while the governor was attending a civilian defense meeting in Seattle. Houser, occupying the governor's chair, granted a month's reprieve and gave a lengthy explanation that he was not convinced that first degree murder had been committed.

Houser emphasized that a letter from Phil S. Gibson, chief justice of the state supreme court suggested that some clemency might be given and investigators' reports on the case had been on the governor's desk for two months.

Some reporters got an inference that Houser believed that the governor had not considered the case thoroughly.

But Warren vigorously denied such was the case.

"I discussed this case with Lt. Gov. Houser before I left for Seattle," Warren said, "and expressed my view of it. I told him I had concluded there were no grounds for the exercise of executive clemency."

"I found no reason for modifying the verdict of the jury or the judgment of the court," he added. "It is distressing of course to see a young man of his age executed, but a governor is obliged, it seems to me, to find in such a situation factors which call for extenuation and not act just from sympathy."

"The consideration of such cases involves some of the most disagreeable decisions a governor has to make. But reprieving and reprieving a man and then finally executing him is, to my mind, tantamount to killing him as many times as you lead him up to that door."

Some observers felt that Houser was justified in not wanting to have a man executed while he was acting

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U. S. Treasury Department

WOMEN MA YTAKE EXAMS AS STATE TOLL COLLECTORS

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—(UP)—The state personnel board today announced that women as well as men may take a scheduled civil service examination for toll collectors on state owned bridges.

Collectors start work at \$185 a month, but the board warned that toll gates on the San Francisco-Oakland bay bridge and the Carquinez and Antioch bridges must be kept open 24 hours a day.

The examination will be held in February. The applicants must have some sort of ticket selling or cashier experience.

SUGGESTS CHRISTMAS BOOKS BE GIVEN TO SERVICE MEN

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—(UP)—Mabel Gillis, state librarian, today

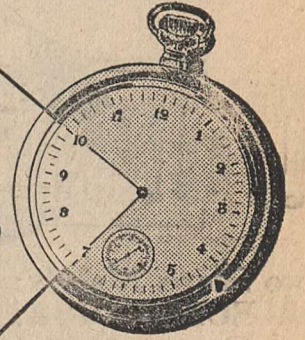
suggested that Californians who have finished reading books received for Christmas turn them over to their local libraries for delivery to service men. Miss Gillis made the plea as part of the state-wide "Send Your Books to War" campaign opening February 1 under sponsorship of the California Library association. She is chairman of the war activities committee of the association.

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governor and while he had the power to save him. He was exercising gubernatorial functions only temporarily, but in a sense he might have felt responsible for the execution.

There would have been no quarrel in the governor's office with a reprieve on that basis, but if Houser meant to imply criticism of the governor, that would be another story. Whether Houser did mean to criticize apparently only he knows.

More certain evidence of disagreement between the two men over clemency matters came in a release from Houser pointing out that the advisory pardon board of which he is chairman had recommended 23 applications for clemency without one being granted by the governor.

Houser pointed out that the pardon board had considered the cases with care and in light of the governor's expressed policy on clemency matters. He also pointed out that the 23 were the only ones which won recommendation out of 499 which the board has considered.

Warren's reply was that he had looked over the board's recommendations but that in most cases he felt that clemency would not be justified.

Houser pointed with pride to the board in the past six months. He said that of more than 500 cases, only 56 remain pending for recommendation to the governor, plus 15 additional cases that previously had been before the board, but for various reasons not yet acted upon.

He released this summary of the board's work:
There were 418 cases before the board when it went to work. To these were added 155 referred subsequently to it by the governor. The board has acted favorably on 475 cases, still to consider 71 cases and has returned 3 to the governor's pardons office. The favorable recommendations included 27 proposals for pardons of the offenders and two for commutation of sentences to the times served.

OPPOSE TWO-SHIFT SCHOOL

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—(UP)—The state war council's committee on Youth in wartime today was on record against "two-shift" school classes in industry centers as injurious to both the children and the community.

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REPORT SHOWS STATE WAS OPERATED ECONOMICALLY DURING PAST FISCAL YEAR

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 27.—(UP)—State Controller Harry B. Riley today made public final figures on state spending in the fiscal year ended last June 30 showing state government was operated more economically in the year than in any of the previous five years.

The state spent \$251,299,772 during the year, compared with \$266,669,125 during the previous fiscal year. The last year in which expenditures were lower was the 1936-37 fiscal year when state spending amounted to \$216,965,801.

The state's expenses reached a peak of \$289,823,242 in 1940, the controller's records showed, and have decreased steadily since that time.

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that on and after February 1, 1944, we will not be responsible for any bills or debts contracted in the name of Tony's Club and Coffee Shop, having disposed of our interests in that establishment to Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Reynolds.
Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Polyanich

Visited Relatives—

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Geiger and family of Yuba City and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Canady of Sparks visited their relatives, Mrs. Nancy Canady and Mrs. E. H. Smith last week.

On Sick List—

Mrs. John Brandlin and daughter Lois were reported on the sick list. Here for Weekend—

Mrs. Albert Ring of Auburn visited her family during the weekend. On Trip—

Jerry Zunino will return to his shoe store during the first week in February after a visit in the bay district.

Move to Truckee—

Mr. and Mrs. John Almquist and two sons have recently moved to Truckee. Almquist who is well known here and at Lake Tahoe, is a telegrapher for Western Union.

In Post Office—

Miss Rose Petroni is now employed as clerk at the local post office, replacing Mrs. Ida Gracik.

LAST CALL ISSUED FOR LICENSE TAGS

Last call for 1944 vehicle license renewal!

Vehicle owners of California were reminded today by Gordon H. Garland, director of the department of motor vehicles, that only a little more than a week is left to apply for the blue and gold windshield stickers and avoid penalties.

The deadline is midnight, Friday, February 4. Applications received after that time will be subject to a 100 per cent penalty on the registration fee and 50 per cent penalty on the vehicle license fee.

Applications may be made either by mail or the counter at any one of the numerous branch offices maintained by the department. The local office is open between 9 and 12 each Monday, Wednesday and Thursday morning with Sergeant B. W. Reynolds in charge.

MANY ITEMS ARE FREED FOR USE

Consumers who wish to buy plumbing, cooking and heating equipment in most cases no longer need authorization from WPB. Some of the items which need no priority ratings are: bathtubs, lavatories, toilets, laundry trays, sinks, showers, shower stalls, condensation pumps, chemical toilets, drinking fountains, septic tanks, grease interceptors, flush tanks, scullery sinks, and wash fountains. Unrationed cooking and heating stoves also may be purchased without WPB authorization.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lester have returned from southern California after they visited with the latter's brother, a paratrooper in the army.

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PROCESSED FOODS MAY BE RELEASED

The release of processed foods from rationing this year was forecast recently by Col. Bryan Houston, deputy OPA administrator at a San Francisco meeting.

If home food production is continued on the same basis as last year, and if commercial packets put up the 116 per cent quota of canned goods which the government has requested, housewives may look forward to a possible lifting of processed foods from rationing by fall. In the meantime, rationing point values will be adjusted downward proportionately whenever possible, he said.

Soda Springs Opens—

The Soda Springs Hotel has been opened under the management of Dennis Jones. It was formerly occupied by a military unit.

Returns Home—

Mrs. John Eggler returned to her home at Modesto following a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barrett.

NOTICE

We have purchased the business of Tony's Club and Coffee Shop and will take charge February 1. We are not responsible for any debts contracted by that establishment prior to February 1.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Reynolds.



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"There is no defense against reproach but obscurity"—Addison

JANUARY

- 23—Gen. John Metaxas, premier of Greece, dies, 1941.
- 30—Sale of intoxicating liquor to Indians prohibited, 1897.
- 31—British abandon Malaya to Japs, 1942.

FEBRUARY

- 1—American flag raised on Island of Guam, 1899.
- 2—Supreme Court decision sustains anti-lottery law, 1890.
- 3—Labor groups covered by anti-trust laws, Supreme Court rules, 1908.
- 4—Col. Lindbergh opens airmail service to central America, 1929. WNU Service

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CALL GOES OUT FOR MORE WAC RECRUITS IN AREA

Northern California women who enlist in the Women's Army Corps may be assigned to posts and camps in San Francisco and vicinity, Lt. Marian Jevne, WAC recruiting officer for this area has announced.

"Women are urgently needed at Fort Mason, Fort McDowell and at Camp Stoneman to fill a varied number of jobs," said Lt. Jevne, "including messengers, librarians, X-ray technicians, surgical technicians, hospital orderlies, opticians, bookbinders, administration and technical clerks, utilities, chauffeurs, chiropodists, supply clerks, messenger dispatcher, receiving and shipping clerk, stock record clerk and stenographers."

All eligible women, 20 to 49 inclusive should contact the WAC recruiting station, 201 Post Office Building, Chico and apply for the job they like best to do.

Church Notes

Community Church
Mrs. Hazel Brandlin in Charge
10 a.m. Sunday school.
11 a.m. Preaching service.
W. W. MacEwan of the grammar school faculty will speak Sunday morning, using as his topic "The Carpenter." All are invited.
Additional contributors to the stove fund are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Adey and Mrs. Dan Smith.

Catholic Church
Rev. William Daly, Pastor
Mass at Truckee 9:30 a.m.

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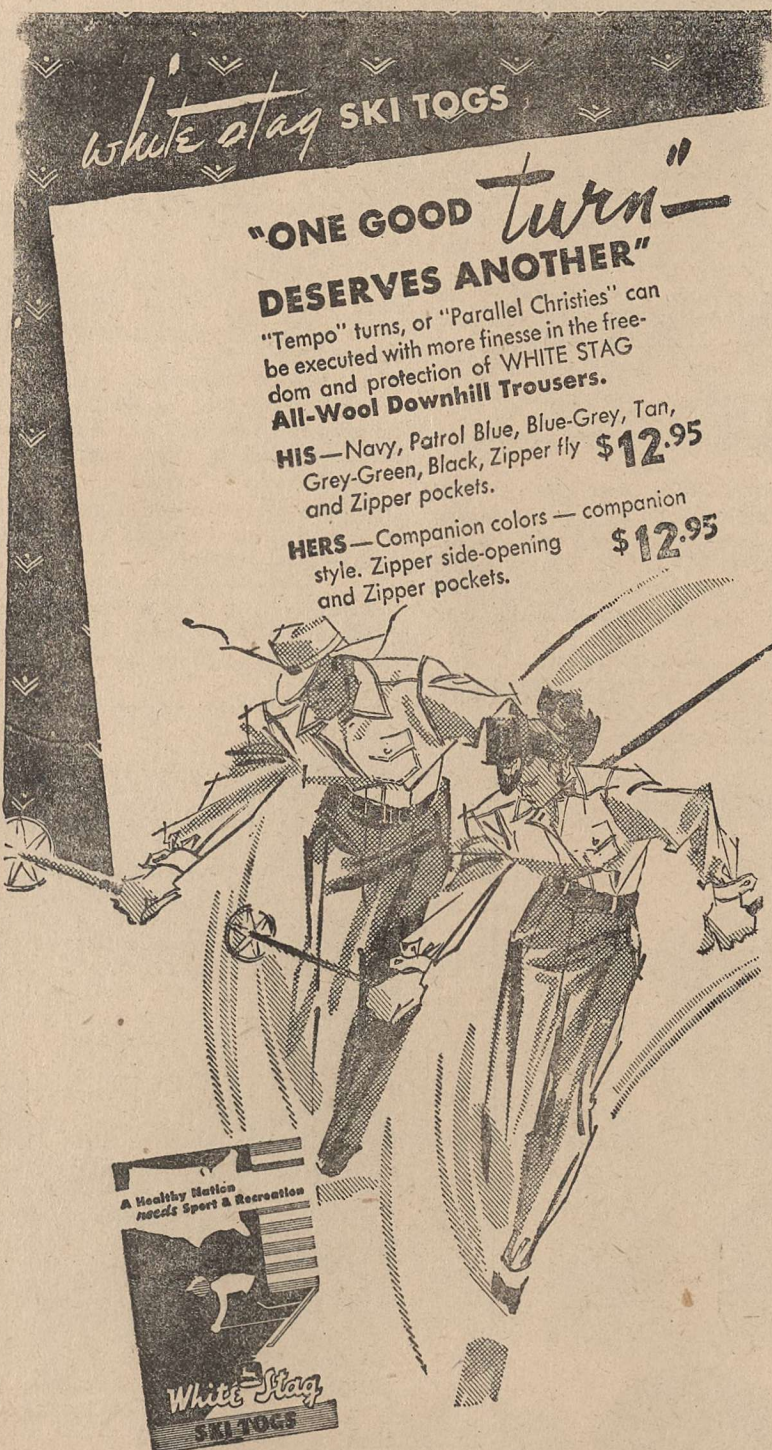


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